

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

MATTHEW LEE KINARD,	:	
Petitioner,	:	
	:	No. 1:18-cv-01912
v.	:	
	:	(Judge Kane)
PA STATE ATTORNEY GENERAL,	:	
Respondent	:	

ORDER

AND NOW, on this 17th day of January 2019, in accordance with the Memorandum filed contemporaneously with this Order, **IT IS ORDERED THAT:**

1. Matthew Lee Kinard's petition for a writ of habeas corpus pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254 (Doc. No. 1), is **DISMISSED WITHOUT PREJUDICE**;
2. A certificate of appealability shall not issue in the above-captioned action. See 28 U.S.C. § 2253(c)(2); and
3. The Clerk of Court is directed to **CLOSE** the above-captioned action.

s/ Yvette Kane
Yvette Kane, District Judge
United States District Court
Middle District of Pennsylvania